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SUBJECT: TRANSPORT OF CHILEAN COMMUNIST REFUGEES

1. PAN AM ASKED BY BERLIN AUTHORITIES TO TRANSPORT 16 CHILEAN COMMUNIST REFUGEES FROM BERLIN TO FRANKFURT ON OCT 9 WITH ULTIMATE DESTINATION RUMANIA FROM WHENCE THEY MOVED TO GDR. THESE REFUGEES SUBSEQUENTLY EXPELLED FROM GDR IN AUGUST AFTER THEY ALLEGEDLY BECAME DISENCHANTED WITH THEIR SITUATION THERE. BERLIN AUTHORITIES UNWILLING TO GRANT THEM RESIDENCE PERMITS.

2. PAN AM HAD BEEN WILLING TRANSPORT REFUGEES IN TWO GROUPS OF 8 ON 0800 AND 0900 FLIGHTS TO FRANKFURT PROVIDED REFUGEES OFFER NO RESISTANCE. PAN AM CONCERNED THAT VIOLENTLY STRUGGLING REFUGEES COULD GIVE THEM PUBLIC RELATIONS BLACKEYE DESPITE PRESENCE OF 5 POLICEMEN WHO WILL ACCOMPANY EACH GROUP. WE HAD ENDORSED PAN AM'S POSITION IN ORDER TO PRECLUDE INCIDENTS ABOARD AIRCRAFT WHICH MIGHT ENDANGER INNOCENT TRAVELERS. POLICE UNABLE TO ASSURE REFUGEES WILL REMAIN ORDERLY DURING FLIGHT; ACCORDINGLY, TRANSPORT BY SCHEDULED FLIGHT CANCELLED. ALTERNATIVE ARRANGEMENTS UNCERTAIN BECAUSE NO BERLI-BASED CARRIER PRESENTLY WILLING TO PROVIDE CHARTER FLIGHT. GEORGE

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